



## Run-6 Preparation & Plan

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## **Run Preparation (status)**

- Muon Piston Calorimeter installed & wired
- East carriage rolled in
- Week of Jan 23
  - CM area swept & magnet tests (done)
  - Continue blue sheets
  - Connect EC services
  - HBD plumbing completed
- Week of Jan 30
  - Installation of shield wall (almost complete)
  - Drift Chamber 2 wire broken:
    repairs started, expect to finish tomorrow





## **Physics Run Proposal**

- 200 GeV CM transverse (radial) operation for Sivers function for 4 weeks
  - $\sim 5 \text{ pb}^{-1}, > 50\%$  beam polarization
- 200 GeV CM longitudinal operation for DG for 6-7 weeks
  - All we can get with ~60% beam polarization (P<sup>4</sup>L improvement 4 or more compared to Run-5)
- 62.4 GeV CM (transverse) operation for comparison of Cu-Cu and Au-Au data set 2 weeks
  - 0.6 pb<sup>-1</sup> any polarization
- 22 GeV CM operation 3 days [recommended by PAC]
  - 3 days with 4 nb<sup>-1</sup> requested
  - Consistent with recent luminosity estimates from Wolfram Fischer (10-40 nb<sup>-1</sup>)
- 500 GeV CM operation for 1 week



## PHENIX organization

- Shift schedule is being filled
  - Decent rate
  - I will check again tomorrow and see that no holes are left for the first two weeks (at least)
- 9 Period coordinators have been found
  - From tomorrow AD will start communicating with them regarding
    - Their responsibilities
    - Safety issues
    - Presentations for shift preparedness
- Detector responsible people will be contacted (again) starting tomorrow to setup specialized detector shifts
- Trigger setup for different parts of the run: discussion already started with Jamie and every one
- Production of data (1008, Vanderbilt, and CCJ)
- Data transfer issues being tested this and next week, manpower issue addressed